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In re Application of:

Wen-Yih LIAO et al.

Group Art Unit: 1756

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Examiner: M. Angebranndt

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For: NOVEL CYANINE-TONQ DYE FOR HIGH DENSITY DATA STORAGE MEDIA

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants request that the period for response to the outstanding official action in this case be extended pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136 (a) for ONE (1) month to January 12, 2003.

The fee set in 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1) for a one month extension of time is \$110.00 and a check in this amount is submitted herewith. Please charge any additional fee required for this extension to Deposit Account No. 02-0200. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.

> Respectfully submitted. **BACON & THOMAS, PLLC**

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